

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Before Commissioners:

Robert G. Taub, Chairman;
Tony Hammond, Vice Chairman;
Mark Acton; and
Nanci E. Langley

Public Inquiry on the
Classification of the
Inbound Letter Post Product

Docket No. PI2018-1

ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

(Issued July 25, 2018)

On July 12, 2018, the Commission issued Order No. 4708, establishing this docket to examine the Postal Service's claims that the Inbound Letter Post product is subject to competition.¹ Concurrent with Order No. 4708, the Commission issued Commission Information Request No. 1, which directed the Postal Service to file the requested information no later than July 26, 2018.² On July 24, 2018, the Postal Service filed a motion requesting an extension of the deadline to respond to CIR No. 1 from July 26, 2018, to August 1, 2018.³

¹ Notice and Order Initiating Public Inquiry on the Classification of the Inbound Letter Post Product, July 12, 2018 (Order No. 4708).

² Commission Information Request No. 1, July 12, 2018, at 1 (CIR No. 1).

³ Motion of the United States Postal Service for Extension of Time to File Responses to Commission Information Request No. 1, July 24, 2018, at 1 (Motion).

The Postal Service justifies its Motion by explaining that its efforts to research, prepare, and review responses to CIR No. 1 have been slowed by the absence of an individual. Motion at 1. The Postal Service states that this individual is central to the gathering of information that is the subject of several questions in CIR No. 1. *Id.* As the Commission has not set a comment deadline in this docket, the Postal Service states that no party will be prejudiced by a short extension. *Id.* at 2. The Motion is granted.

It is ordered:

1. The Motion of the United States Postal Service for Extension of Time to File Responses to Commission Information Request No. 1, filed July 24, 2018, is granted.
2. The due date for the responses to Commission Information Request No. 1 is extended from July 26, 2018, to August 1, 2018.

By the Commission.

Ruth Ann Abrams
Acting Secretary